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> NREPLY REFER TO: 5720 Ser 14/202 Apr 15, 2015

Michael Field Cook Sr. GySgt USMC (ret) (b) (6)

Dear GySgt Cook:

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT APPEAL DON-NAVY-2015-005242

This letter acknowledges receipt of your correspondence regarding your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) appeal that was received in our office on Mar 7, 2015. Your case has been assigned file number DON-NAVY-2015-005242. Please refer to that file number for any future questions or correspondence concerning your appeal.

In fairness to all requesters, we process all appeals in the order in which they are received. Processing times may be affected by the number and complexity of pending appeals. For that reason, we are unable to provide an estimated completion date at this time. Your rights to judicial review will not be prejudiced by waiting for a substantive determination regarding your appeal. We will work as expeditiously as possible, however, to respond to your request within 20 working days as outlined in the FOIA regulations.

You may contact me at (b) (6) or (c) (6) navy.mil if you have any questions concerning the processing of your appeal. Please provide your last name and the above assigned file number in any correspondence.

Sincerely,

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